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Mark Goines
President, Board of Trustees
Los Altos School District
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Dear Mark,

Thank you for hosting Monday night's workshop to receive public input regarding facilities options for public schools within the District, including Bullis Charter School. I applaud the use of mediators to ensure a civil atmosphere.

I hope you agree that valuable information was expressed by every attendee. Parents and residents from the entire district, including parents from BCS, want the District and BCS to find an equitable solution now.

It was evident from last Monday's workshop that splitting BCS across multiple campuses is not in the best interest of the school or its students. Participants strongly encouraged that BCS have a campus of its own.

The community's desire to find an equitable solution now that includes long-term stability will hopefully guide LASD's decision making at your December 10 board meeting. The recent letter published by members of the Los Altos City Council and Los Altos Hills Town Council also strongly supports this.

Furthermore, because the possible options are complex and there are interests that may well overlap, we urge an active dialogue directly between LASD and BCS to find an optimal solution. I specifically suggest that each of our respective Prop 39 teams conduct additional, constructive sessions before each deadline. The next Prop 39 milestone is January 1st, thus I propose a working session on December 14.

Please let me know your thoughts on this proposal.

Sincerely,

Ken Moore
Board Chair, Bullis Charter School

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